• •

Sheet 1 of 1 FORM PTO-1449 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ATTY DOCKET NO. APPLICATION SERIAL NO. (Rev. 2-32) PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE 080743-165-002 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use several sheets if necessary APPLICANT: HEIDEMAN, et al. FILING DATE: **GROUP** 10/20/2000 2874 **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS EXAMINER** FILING DATE DATE **NAME CLASS** DOCUMENT NUMBER **INITIAL SUBCLASS** APPROPRIATE 5 06/28/1998 Mikami, et al. 4 9 7 1 4 5 0 04/17/1990 Pocholle, et al. 5 1 3 7 3 5 9 08/11/1992 Steele 5 2 5 3 0 3 7 10/12/1993 Klainer, et al. 5 2 8 0 7 2 01/18/1994 Di Bin, et al. 4 5 7 04/07/1998 Saini, et al. FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS DATE **COUNTRY DOCUMENT NUMBER** CLASS TRANSLATION **SUBCLASS** YES NO 9 5 4 3 07/22/1992 **EPO** X 5 3 4 6 03/31/1993 **EPO** X OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.) Article "An integrated optical Bragg-reflector used as a chemo-optical sensor", by Veldhuist, et al, dated January 1, 1998, IOP Publishing LTD. Article "Single -mode/multimode waveguide electro-optic grating coupler modulator", by Wang, et al., Applied Physics Letters, 66, nr. 20, May 15, 1995. **EXAMINER** DATE CONSIDERED EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

(Form PTO-1449 [6-4])23240.1

CHI-1309842v1